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IRISH CAUSE.

Friends of Irish freedom are frequently encouraged when they read the Louisville Herald, whose columns are not wholly under the British propaganda. Last Sunday the Herald had this kindly expression:

"That the Irish cause is to be heard at Paris, presented by representative American citizens, is excellent good news. We can not but believe that they will have the most sympathetic and respectful of hearings. And we are reminded of that query—it still remains unanswered—put in the Senate with ten others by Mr. Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey:

"Is it possible that if the League of Nations is adopted, as proposed, people who were formerly subject to our enemies shall have the right of self-determination, but such right shall be denied to people who are subject to those who fought with us against our enemies?"

PEACE OF WORLD.

The constitution of the League of Nations is being amended to meet some of the objections made against it in this country. That may lessen the opposition to the plan, but it is still very doubtful whether a workable organization can be perfected to prevent war. As the league is more fully discussed it appears to be rather a dream than a practical reality. The United States can not become a guarantor of peace for all Europe without radically changing the whole policy of the nation. As far as we can see, the League of Nations offers no solution of the Bolshevik problem that is now confronting Europe. That is the great danger that is threatening the peace of the world. What can the League of Nations do to save Europe from the chaos that threatens? That is the test of the league's efficiency. It may avail against autocracies, but against anarchy it seems to be powerless. And anarchy is fully as dangerous as autocracy and not less threatening. And the peace delegates are talking about a League of Nations while Bolshevism sweeps on westward.

DID THEIR BIT.

"One Hundred Thousand Irish Soldiers Seeking Employment. Crisis Over Demobilization in Dublin." So read newspaper headlines. And we thinking the Irish didn't do their bit! exclaims the Canadian Freeman. Cardinal Mercier says: "The Irish people are the oldest and purest nationality in Europe, and their noble adherence to faith and nationality the most glorious record in history." Very Rev. John Cavanaugh, C. S. C., President of the University of Notre Dame, pertinently asserts that "England is today the one obstacle to the fulfillment of America's dream of a world free from tyranny and enforced submission. She affects a maudlin sympathy for distracted, desolated Belgium, with Ireland, a Belgium of her own making, lying prostrate under her wheels these last seven centuries." America as a whole is beginning to bravely and boldly assert herself in favor of Irish self-determination. In addition to the National House of Representatives the following States to date have passed resolutions in favor of self-determination for Ireland: Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Illinois, Missouri, Wisconsin, Connecticut, New Jersey, Ohio, Montana and Pennsylvania.

ANXIOUSLY WAITING.

The public at large is anxiously waiting for the Menace to publish the war record of the Junior Order, the Daughters of Liberty, the Daughters of America and the other A. P. A. organizations that were frantically waving Old Glory around here before the war. But what an awful change when the war broke out. They all broke their neck organizing peace at any price organizations.

FALL'S STRONG STAND.

Speaking before the Legislature of New Mexico, United States Senator Albert B. Fall, of that State, declared that he would not vote for a League of Nations which would give England five votes to one for the United States. "If the present League of Nations plan is adopted, Great Britain will rule the league, and I object to America's becoming again a subsidiary country to the British Isles," he said. "It is not

our business to put down a revolution in Ireland and I am frank to say that the Irish have a right, unless the Declaration of Independence was a lie, to rebel if they please. I will never vote to send one of your sons, or put him in a position where he may be sent, to prevent a revolution in Ireland."

ENVOYS FOR FREEDOM.

The three leaders named as delegates from the Irish race convention to the Peace Conference at Paris are now on the ocean, and millions will pray that their journey may prove fruitful. In a statement given out in Washington Chairman Walsh, in explaining the purpose of the committee, said:

"The committee is going to France as American citizens, holding no allegiance, actual or spiritual, to any other nation on earth, but imbued with the necessity of extending the principles of free government to Ireland, which is the typical small nation of the world being deprived of the right to determine for itself the form of government under which it shall exist."

BOLSHEVISM.

With Bolshevism threatening Europe people are beginning to ask whether there is danger of that peculiar brand of insanity penetrating to this country. We already have the beginnings of it in the I. W. W. activity which started in New York five years ago. Whether Bolshevism will develop in this country as it has developed in Europe will depend largely on how we meet the problem of labor and wages. A living wage and fair treatment for the workingman are the best safeguard against Bolshevism here. Those who stand against these are the best promoters of Bolshevism.

UNREST IN EUROPE.

The wave of unrest that is passing over Europe is accounted for in many ways, and the majority of those who seek for the cause find it more in material than in moral or spiritual matters. The root of this unrest, says Prior Gilbert Higgins, C. R. L., lies in the forsaking of God's truth:

"What is at the bottom of this seething unrest which threatens to convert peace into as great a curse as war? The absence of the peace of Christ from the hearts of too many—that is the root of the mischief. The heart of man was created for God, and it will never rest until it rests in Him. The power to rest in God is the blessing bought for us by the blood of Christ. This peace He offers us, but on the condition that we follow Him to the cross, crucifying our inordinate appetites and even denying ourselves sometimes legitimate satisfactions—such denial hardening us and training us to fight when unlawful temptations face us. But this invitation to mortify ourselves will fall on deaf ears if the word of Christ does not dwell in our hearts, and it can not dwell where it has not entered. The misery is that through the banishing of religious instruction from most schools in this nation, English children have not been fed abundantly on the word of Christ. They have never acquired a taste for that heavenly bread, and grown up they will have none of it. Sermons do not attract; churches are empty. The goods of the present life are all the goods they know. In the struggle to secure them arise the sad conflicts of which we are witnesses. Catholic education imparts the words of Christ, and his word spells peace, as the glorious name of Jesus spells salvation for the world."

Marse Henry Watterson is no longer in any way connected with the Courier-Journal, having retired as editor emeritus on Tuesday. For fifty years he gave that paper his best, but difference upon public questions brought about his retirement. The Courier-Journal may be more consistent than of yore, but it will never be the same without Marse Henry.

The election of Thompson as Mayor of Chicago forces the Republican party to do some mighty tall explaining.

ALUMNAE MEETING.

The Holy Rosary Alumnae advanced its April meeting two weeks and met at the academy Sunday afternoon instead of on the third Sunday of April, which this year falls on Easter.

NONE SHOULD FEAR.

Any citizen who fears that the Victory loan will not be subscribed has little of the confidence and courage that made America famous at Cantigny, Chateau Thierry and in the Argonne Forest.

COMING EVENTS.

April 11, 13, 15 — "Pilate's Daughter" by Holy Rosary Alumnae in Academy Auditorium, Fourth and Park.

April 21—Entertainment for Holy Trinity church in hall at Kentucky and Dupuy streets.

April 20, 21, 22—Annual carnival of Trinity Council, Y. M. I., in hall, Baxter and Morton.

April 21, 22, 23—Holy Cross Church Vaudeville Review, in school hall, Thirty-second and Broadway.

April 28-29—Carnival of Nations, St. Cecilia's school hall.

May 6 and 7—Annual charity entertainment of Ladies' Sewing Society for St. Anthony's Hospital at Phoenix Hill Hall.

May 8—Moonlight excursion of Columbia Athletic Club on Steamer Island Queen.

BILL CASEY.

Of all the harum-scarum guys I ever knew, beneath the skies, An "extra man" who worked for us Was hard to beat—an Irish cuss Named "Casey!"

This bird could ride and fight and swim; All rough-house stuff was pie for him! He never quailed at bumps and jars— There was an awesome bunch of scars On Casey!

When'er we had a part, though small, That called for courage, brawn and gall, Which "extra man" did we select To pull the stuff? Well, I expect 'Twas Casey!

Who was it left us on the run When Wilson, out in Washington, Rolled up his sleeves to wallop Fritz? Who said "So long!" and up and quit? This Casey!

Who was it, joined with the Marines, At Chateau Thierry changed the scenes? Who won such praise, a medal and The Cross of Valor? "Extra man," Bill Casey!

But Casey's fighting days are o'er; Back to the plant he is once more. He's lost a leg, but not his grin, And we are proud to squeeze the fin Of Casey!

There is one guy that needn't fret About a job, for you can bet Long as he lives—God bless his soul— A name will be on our payroll—"Bill Casey!" —Harry J. Smalley.

SOCIETY.

C. R. Leonard passed most of last week in New York City.

Charles C. Culp was among last week's arrivals at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Althaire Mattingly, of Lebanon, is here for a visit of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kern have returned from a sojourn at French Lick Springs.

Mrs. John J. Moritz, who underwent an operation at the Deaconess Hospital, is now convalescent.

Mrs. Alfred Slack and daughter, Miss Lucille, have been spending two weeks with relatives at Buechel.

Col. and Mrs. George B. Barrett, who have been spending the winter in Havana, Cuba, will be home next week.

Misses Mildred and Katherine Spalding, of Lebanon, have been with the Misses Sale on Fourth street.

Miss Mabel Murphy, who was the guest of Mrs. L. Donahue in Oakdale, has departed for her home in Canada.

Mrs. Kate Carroco, of Stithou, and Mrs. Jennie King were recent guests of Miss Mollie Reesor at Parkview.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Hook, of Beechmont, have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hogan, visitors from Chicago.

J. W. Brown was a Louisville visitor in New York the past week, spending several days at the Holland House.

Miss Viola Kappesser, of Highland Park, was here last week for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kappesser.

Miss Evelyn Sweeney, who spent last week with her mother, Mrs. James Sweeney, in Jeffersonville, has returned to Stithou.

Misses Frances and Nellie Odewahn and Edith Redding were recent visitors at Highland Park, the guests of Mrs. Fred Reichart.

J. J. Martin, who recently returned from France, is being entertained by his mother, Mrs. M. Martin, at her home in Oakdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe O'Neal will go to Pewee Valley on April 10 to spend the summer with Mrs. O'Neal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harcourt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wathen, Mrs. Richard L. Condon and Master Wathen Condon are home after spending the week-end at French Lick Springs.

Mrs. Rosa Henneberger announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Ellnor Henneberger, to Henry C. Walter. The wedding will take place in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Zach D. Wheat were here on a visit this week to friends and relatives. Mr. Wheat is field captain of the Brooklyn ball

club and went from here to Jacksonville to join the team in training camp.

Mrs. J. Steller announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Esther A. Steller, to G. H. Wrocklage. The wedding will take place the latter part of this month.

Mrs. Catherine Minsterketter announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mary Virginia Minsterketter, to Perry W. Bahr. The wedding will take place June 4.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Milligan, of Taylorsville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ardia May, to Dr. Ben F. Shields. The wedding will be solemnized this month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Straub, of 1913 South Preston street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Leona F. Straub, to Z. Ott Singleton. The wedding will take place in May.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson and sons, Messrs. James Thompson, Jr., and Frank Thompson, have returned from their winter home at Osprey, Fla., and have opened their home at Anchorage.

Miss Elizabeth W. Franke, who has been spending the winter in New York, will return to Louisville early in June and be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franke, at their home in Anchorage.

Miss Catharine O'Connell had as her guests last week at her home at Prestonia Miss Durrett Oglesby and Messrs. King Shields and Dan Krietzler, who have just returned from sixteen months' service in France.

RETURNS TO GERMANY.

First Lieut. Frank J. Higgins, who went to France with the American forces from Camp Shelby and was sent into Germany with the army of occupation, writes that he has completed another three months' military training course in France and has returned to his machine gun battalion at Mosel Kern. He says he is in perfect health but gives no intimation of how long the army will remain in Germany.

FATHER HILL BETTER.

The parishioners and friends of Rev. John T. Hill, pastor of St. Ann's church, will be rejoiced to know that his condition is improving and that he was able to set up Thursday in his room at Sts. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital. Two weeks ago Father Hill suffered an attack of bronchial pneumonia and was hurriedly removed from his home to the hospital, where for a week his condition was cause for grave alarm.

VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN.

Peyton B. Bethel, Chairman of the Victory Loan Campaign Committee for Louisville and Jefferson county, returned the first of the week from a meeting of representatives of the Eighth Federal district held in St. Louis, feeling confident that we would again be first in going "over the top." The old four-minute forces will begin activities on April 14 and continue until May 2. The Victory Loan campaign has been set for the week beginning Tuesday, April 23. Chairman Marvin H. Lewis, Chairman of the Speakers' Bureau, will present the greatest array of orators ever heard in Louisville.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA.

The regular bi-monthly meeting of Circle 84, Daughters of Isabella, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Knights of Columbus Hall. All members are urged to attend as an important business will come before the meeting, notably the final action and the adoption of the constitution and by-laws. Those desiring to contribute to the fund for the memorial fund are requested to do so at this meeting, as the time is drawing near for the completion of the fund. The Daughters of Isabella of Louisville have been making great progress and are likely to soon have an initiation that will surpass the record of any circle in the country.

GOOD WORK.

The National Catholic War Council, to carry on the war work of the Knights of Columbus, has an office in the Walker building at Fifth and Market, to give free assistance to discharged soldiers and sailors, give them employment, but also to secure their bonus and to advise them about their United States insurance and matters of kindred nature. Committees have been organized in nearly every parish in the State of Kentucky to give assistance, and reports are coming in every day showing the good work which is being done. Hon. E. J. McDermott is Chairman and Judge S. J. Boldrick is Secretary of the committee in charge of the work in Kentucky.

LIPTON AMAZED.

Of all the changes in this country since his last visit in 1913, Sir Thomas Lipton on Monday said in New York that he considered the passing of the prohibition amendment the most remarkable. Sir Thomas declared that he was surprised because it had always been his opinion that American citizens would never permit their freedom of action to be hindered in any way. "Prohibition could not come in England," he said, "and it is with great amazement that I see that you in this country have passed the amendment providing that a man shall not drink certain things, even if he wants to and has the price. In England we have always rather imagined Americans as being the freest people on earth and as being most jealous of that freedom. What will you do when prohibition is in force? Will it be easy to obey the law?" The mission of Sir Thomas is for the purpose of inspecting his yacht, the Erin, on this side since the outbreak of the war, and issue another challenge for the America's Cup.

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POSTPONED.

The annual retreat for the Knights of Columbus, which was announced for the past week, has been postponed till after Easter.

ANTIDOTE FOR IMPURITY.

The intention recommended by Pope Benedict XV. for the members of the League of the Sacred Heart during April is purity. In the intention for April our Holy Father wishes to provide an antidote for the impure spirit of our age. "Blessed are the clean of heart, for they shall see God." In their fight against the church we find that its enemies appeal to the sensual side of human nature. They know that loss of faith follows often upon the loss of purity. Against the up-braidings of conscience the impure seek some solace, and would gladly deny the existence of future punishment. Experience shows that loss of purity undermines faith and the enemies of the church, knowing this, strike at faith by pampering sensual instincts. The devil is ever ready by his evil suggestions to lead careless people to adopt the wicked principles of the world and palliate horrible sins.

Purity is to be guarded carefully. Its safeguard will be found in frequent confession and holy communion. At the altar rail Christ gives us his body and blood to be the food of our souls and He gives us strength to battle against the world, the flesh and the devil. Whatever impure companions, immoral plays and books are proximate occasions of sin and must be avoided if the soul is not to drift blindly into hell. Catholic parents must guard the purity of their children. Parents who allow a boy or girl to roam the streets at night will have much to

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answer for before the judgment seat of God. They should teach their children to avoid whatever would entice should teach them by word and example to love frequent communion.

IRISH CLERGY APPEAL

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the Oppression and Tyranny to Which
People Are Subjected.

Cardinal Logue, Archbishop Walsh, Archbishop Gilmar-
tin and Six Bishops of Ireland Issue a
Joint Statement.

PEOPLE SUFFER FROM DRASTIC MILITARY RULE

By Cardinal Logue.
Our own poor country, Ireland, stands in pressing need of that peace which is so earnestly desired for the whole world. It is now in a most distracted state; nor, as far as human foresight can forecast, is there any prospect of improvement in the near future.

Improvement can not reasonably be expected while the country continues, as in the past, to be governed almost exclusively in the interests of a small minority of its people; unfairly discriminated against in the allocation of the public funds, to which it so largely contributes, and deprived of what is now emphatically proclaimed to be the birthright of every free nation, full and adequate control of its internal affairs.

One would have little confidence in a physician who would put his patient when he becomes delirious in a straitjacket, instead of applying those remedies which go to the root of the disease. That is precisely the treatment to which Ireland has been subjected, far beyond the range of living memory; neglect of every remonstrance, reproach, or evasion of every just claim, violation of every promise, till the people were goaded into wild courses, and then stern repression.

We have an instance of this just now. We are not ruled by the ordinary law, but subject to a drastic military code, under which actions otherwise harmless or trivial become grave offenses and are pitilessly punished.

In the meantime I ask the people of Ireland, while this infliction lasts, not to expose themselves recklessly to those severe punishments by needless assemblies, gatherings or other practices which serve no useful purpose. Drilling is a case in point—"tomfoolery," as a learned Judge lately termed it. They might practice the goose-step to the Greek Kalends and it would never bring them one step nearer to freedom.

By Most Rev. Dr. Walsh.
(Archbishop of Dublin.)
Irish public affairs continue to give rise to apprehensions rather than hopes.

Our people are now shut out by law from the employment of methods of seeking redress regarded constitutional in the past. It would be unreasonable and indeed impossible to expect that they can long rest content with such a state of things. From wholly unexpected quarters, too, lessons of violent resistance to the law have come to them, which they naturally would not be slow to learn—lessons, however, which if put in practice by them would make their last state far worse than the first.

Let it be a subject of our earnest and daily prayers, in the interest of our country as a whole, that our people may be strengthened to withstand every influence that would drive them into courses forbidden by the law of God.

By Most Rev. Dr. Gilmartin.
(Archbishop of Tuam.)

Though we may differ in the details of politics we are all united in the prayer that the wrongs of Ireland will soon be righted. We rejoice that today she stands knocking at the gates of liberty, not as a beggar, but as a nation, old in centuries, young in her manhood, strong in the justice of her claims, and calm in the Divine hope that truth must prevail in the end.

By Right Rev. Dr. McKenna.
(Bishop of Clogher.)

Though months have passed since victory crowned the arms which were to establish everywhere the rule of right and justice, in our small nation, one of the oldest in Europe, might rules supreme.

The country is held, as it were, in the grip of a militarism worse than anything we read of—that continental brand to end which so much blood and treasure were lavished.

Almost daily we read of youths being arraigned before courts-martial or special courts and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment on trifling charges, sometimes nothing more serious than to have been discovered cycling in some kind of organized order to a football match, and to have given such proof of high military organization as to be able to dismount at a given signal without serious risk of collision and broken bones.

Many months ago hundreds of prominent and patriotic Irishmen were arrested, deported from their native land, and in English prisons, and held in durance without any charge having been preferred against them. The only shadow of an excuse which has been given to the public for their arrest and imprisonment is some supposed German plot of the very existence of which the English head of the Government in Ireland publicly testified he never heard.

The continued incarceration of these men is a monstrous injustice and a disgrace to any people calling itself civilized, not to speak of the proud title to which it makes claim, of champion of right and justice everywhere.

Then again while inalienable rights as a nation are unjustly withheld the opportunity, up to the

present at least, is denied us of even stating our case for the righting of our centuries-old wrongs before that tribunal which has been constituted to settle the world on the basis of liberty, justice and right. These are disquieting signs of the view taken by one of the great crusaders of her pledges to freedom, right and justice.

Yet, notwithstanding these evidences to the contrary, there are strong grounds for hope of an eventual general peace based on right and justice, in which our own nation will be a sharer. The consequences of disappointing the high hopes of peoples everywhere that their unparalleled sacrifices and sufferings would be rewarded with such a peace would be too serious to be lightly faced by statesmen anywhere.

The unrest of the toiling masses, so universal and so menacing, can not fail to impress upon statesmen the truth so plainly told them by the ablest and most farseeing among them, the distinguished President of the United States, that they are but the servants and not the masters of the people, and if they run counter to the wishes of plain people everywhere they will be broken, and what is much more serious will bring down in ruins around them the temple of civilization as we know it.

Then as regards our own country the prospects of sharing in such a general peace of justice and right are daily improving. The long sustained invidious efforts to misrepresent our motives and actions, to make it appear that we had become indifferent or even hostile to the cause of liberty, justice and right, have failed.

We still have many strong friends in the world. Our kith and kin in America, and indeed the whole American people, are putting up a splendid fight for justice for Ireland, so also are strong forces in Australia and the colonies.

By Right Rev. Dr. McHugh.
(Bishop of Derry.)

We have seen great empires rent asunder, totter and fall, Kings with their scepters disappear as if they never had been, and free States arise on the ruins of the past where military despotism had hitherto held sway. An autocratic tyranny that kept countless millions in bondage for centuries also disappeared, to be followed unfortunately not by liberty and freedom but by a new tyranny, a regime of unrestricted license, pillage, plunder and murder.

And, strange contradiction, the very people who proclaimed to the world that the defense of small nations, the crushing of militarism and the establishing of justice and right were the governing motives that induced them to unsheathe the sword, these, we now see act as if these words had never been spoken.

And for poor Ireland—it was hoped that she, too, would join in the general resurrection of nations that had been crushed in the dust. But how vain the hope!

Wherever we turn our eyes instead of freedom and justice we are confronted by a militarism of the most up-to-date Prussian type that makes its baneful influence felt in periodic ukases, fettering the liberty of the subject, and in inhuman sentences inflicted for dolans in themselves harmless which have hitherto been favored and fostered by a free-loving people.

In theory consent of the governed is recognized as the only equitable basis on which just government can rest; but in practice, though this principle may apply to every other nation under the sun, black and white, Jew and Gentile, Ireland is to be debarré from a gift that is proffered even to the uncivilized heathen.

No sooner was war declared than thousands of Ireland's brave sons, forgetting the cruel treatment of the past and believing they were setting out to do battle for justice, liberty and truth, freely volunteered their services.

And now that the war is over and victory rests on the banner of the Allies the heroic deeds of Ireland's sons are forgotten, and nothing but calumny and oppression heaped on the motherland that bore them.

What a return for noble services freely rendered!

What a fulfillment of hopes that we were led to believe would find their realization in victory!

But dark as is the cloud that hangs over Ireland today, it is not without a silver lining. The materialistic spirit that has held Europe in its grip for the past four years or more has only served to develop and bring out in greater relief the religious side of the Irish character.

Never can we forget those trying days when, not content with the free gift of so many lives sacrificed on her behalf, Great Britain would treat Ireland as a nation of slaves and force conscription on her sons against their will.

While striving to recover our national rights we must never prove untrue to the glorious heritage handed down by St. Patrick. We will show that we inherit the spirit that enabled us to brave trials immeasurably greater than any we have been yet called upon to suffer.

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Let us hope that Ireland's long night is past and that the inevitable day of her delivery is at hand and that the blessing of God and his Virgin Mother may rest on the Ireland of the future.

By Right Rev. Dr. Fogarty.
(Bishop of Killaloe.)

I consider our memorable fight against conscription and our victory as a manifestation of divine protection to a helpless people that had in it all the majesty of a miracle. An awful outrage on the sanctity of life was attempted in the form of forcible conscription.

The Catholic heart of the nation revolted against the blasphemous thing, and with a courage rare in history determined to die rather than submit to this wholesale confiscation of national rights.

When all the world is talking of freedom Ireland, which has not had one year's peace since greed and plunder brought a foreign power among us, 700 years ago, is being tortured and harassed by that alien rule to a point of exasperation which has become unbearable. In their insane attempts to extinguish the unquenchable fire of patriotism they have given us martial law for government and turned our country into a prison.

Every other day we have to witness the sickening sight of noble-hearted young men and even women being hauled off in handcuffs to jail for the most trivial offenses. And while they thus trample on Ireland at home they sit among the nations in a peace conference demanding self-determination as a sacred right for all peoples, even the colored races.

We protest against this shameful hypocrisy. We demand justice for our country, and we claim it at the international tribunal whose

office and opportunity it now is to do universal justice and abolish the forcible subjugation of peoples all over the world.

By Right Rev. Dr. O'Donnell.
(Bishop of Raphoe.)

The Pope's peace proposals, which would have saved the world incalculable loss in blood and treasure had they been accepted, have in substance a relationship of close kindred to the propositions subsequently laid down by President Wilson, which victors and vanquished in the end agreed to accept as the basis of an armistice leading to peace.

More he would have gladly done had he not been despoiled of the influence in international affairs by which he could investigate and judge, arbitrate and settle the issues at stake between the belligerents.

It was a grievous wrong done, that governments conspired in secret treaties to exclude the representatives of the Pope from taking any steps having as their object the conclusion of peace or the settlement of the questions that must arise on the termination of hostilities. Such action should open the eyes of those who have been blaming the Pope for not condemning flagrant outrages on public law during the war.

It is a blessing from providence that is greatly enhanced by the fact that the American democracy, with its marvellous capacity to pick out good men for the headship of the States, placed some years ago in the Presidential chair a citizen who knows how to give admirable and fearless expression to the doctrine of right among nations.

It was a new experience for grasping governments in the Old World to be told by one whom they can not afford to despise that weak

nations and strong have equal rights, and that justice, good-will and friendship are the fundamental bonds of peace.

The draft of the covenant that is proposed for establishing a League of Nations, with all its great merit, does not secure equally the rights of weak and strong nations, and it hinders rather than helps any small nationality which is subject to one of the high contracting parties and has not yet been guaranteed its freedom.

The league would in the main be a coalition of the nations that have been victorious in the great war, a league of five great powers and their somewhat dependent friends. However splendid its structure, the league is not a federation of the world. A rival coalition might appear and then that other world war break out that would wreck civilization.

But apart from any outside combination, the aim of the League of Nations, to save the human family from another great war, will not be attained unless conscription is banned, armaments enormously reduced and arbitration substituted for the game of battle. There will be no lasting peace if the rights of Ireland and the rights of labor are not secured.

By Right Rev. Dr. McRory.
(Bishop of Down and Connor.)

If I could allow myself to discuss politics I should have a good deal to say about the treatment to which one "small nation" is being subjected at the present time, even while a League of Nations is being formed which is expected among other things to protect small nations from tyranny and oppression.

In his own good time God will grant this ancient and faithful nation even an earthly reward for all

her trials, disappointments and sufferings.

By Right Rev. Dr. Hoare.
(Bishop of Ardagh and Clonmacnoise.)

It is only in our own day that our cry has reached the nations to find them sympathetic. Our rulers dare not now deny us independence. Their last and only resort now is to tell us to agree among ourselves what sort of independence we want, but all true Irishmen have agreed. Those who wish to perpetuate the present state of things are not Irishmen. Ireland demands to be a free and independent nation, and all nations except England acknowledge the justice of the claim. Our rulers dare not any longer hold us in chains.

There would be no need of revolutionary action. It would make us the prey of our enemies, and point to what has taken place in France, Portugal, Mexico and Russia. Secret societies and revolution did not bring the rebirth of nations, but their devastation and destruction.

IRELAND, SIZE AND RESOURCES.

You often hear the statement made that Ireland is a small country, insignificant in size, resources, etc., but compare the following figures with the size and resources of supposedly more important countries. Let us compare the area with some of the independent smaller nations of Europe:

Square miles.
Ireland 32,531
Switzerland 15,876
Denmark 15,042
Belgium 15,042

These figures show that Ireland is almost three times as large as Belgium and larger than Switzerland and Denmark put together.

Now for population:
Ireland 4,390,219
Switzerland 3,888,500
Denmark 2,940,990
Norway 2,396,782

We are often told that Ireland has no industries; that all she produces is enough agricultural products to feed her population. Again we will have recourse to the latest statistics. The figures of the combined exports and imports of the following countries for 1915 are taken from Whittaker's Almanac:

Ireland \$862,068,620
Sweden 375,000,000
Denmark 325,000,000
Norway 210,000,000
Rumania 205,000,000
Portugal 115,000,000
Bulgaria 75,000,000
Greece 62,500,000
Serbia 47,500,000

The four last mentioned countries have each a larger area and a larger population than Ireland.

WHITE HABIT THERE.

Though the world is engaged in talking of the Peace Conference, it seems not yet aware that the white habit of St. Dominic shines in the hall of the momentous gathering. The delegates of the various countries are accompanied by commissions of a technical nature, and in that appointed for the branch concerned with labor is Father O'Sullivan, O. P., Belgium, whose reputation as a sociologist marked him out as particularly able to serve country. Father Rutten is also the Secretary General of the Christian Syndicates of Belgium, "a man," as L'Unita Cattolica of Florence puts it, "of phenomenal activity," and the author of several works in sociology, which are appreciated highly even beyond the Belgian frontier.

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CANONIZATION.

Pope Benedict has set tomorrow as the definite date for the canonization of Joan of Arc.

WISH HIM LUCK.

Joe Hund, one of the most popular young men in the East End, for years with the Louisville Water Company and who served with the American forces since the trouble on the Mexican border, left Tuesday for Pennsylvania as representative of the corporation recently organized by ex-Senator Charles Knight. Joe has a host of friends who wish him success in his new field and hope that he will bring a big volume of business to Louisville.

ABLE REPRESENTATIVE.

The friends of Dr. T. R. Welch, of Jessamine county, are urging him to again be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Legislature in that district and it is hoped the doctor will see his way clear to announce. Dr. Welch was one of the most able men in the last session and made a record for himself and his constituents.

THINKING OF DERBY.

Private James W. Whalen, of this city, writes from Bordeaux, France, that he is among the many who are more than anxious to get back to the land of the free and the home of the brave once more. "Jimmy" says he hopes he will be here to see the Kentucky Derby run on May 10, and says it is easier to pick pretty French girls than it will be to pick the Derby winner.

VISITING HER BROTHERS.

Miss Anna Deuser, of St. Louis, a Red Cross nurse who recently returned from France, where she saw service for nearly a year, is visiting her brother, Frank Deuser, 414 East Fifth street, New Albany. Before returning home she will visit another brother, Joseph Deuser, in Louisville.

GIVEN THE HABIT.

Miss Mary Kesselring, who has a wide acquaintance in Catholic circles, is now Sister Mary Gilbert, of the Order of Charity, having taken the habit on March 25. Sister Mary Gilbert is a graduate of Sacred Heart Academy and a niece of Mrs. James Curran, 325 North Twenty-fifth street.

INTO ETERNAL REST.

George H. Reverman, thirty-nine years old, a brewery inspector, died Wednesday morning at his home, 2812 Garland avenue, following an illness of four months. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sophie Reverman, a daughter, Miss Dorothy Reverman, and a brother, Theodore Reverman. Funeral services were conducted Thursday morning from Holy Cross church, with burial in St. Michael's cemetery.

CHANGE FOR BETTER.

During the past week there has been a slight improvement in the condition of Mrs. Dennis Whalen, who has been ill for the last five months at her home on West Broadway. This family gave four sons to their country's service, two of whom have been demobilized and two are still in France, and it is the earnest hope of the family that she may recover to welcome them home.

MISSION AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

A mission lasting one week will open at St. Joseph's church on East Washington street. The mission will be for men and women and will be conducted by fathers from the Franciscan convent at Cincinnati. Rev. Diomed Pohlkamp, O. F. M., is the pastor and expects a large attendance at both the morning and evening services. The blessing will be imparted on Palm Sunday.

TEST OF EYES.

The optical department in the Wiseman jewelry store has been equipped with everything necessary for the proper testing of eyes, including the new skiotometer which weighs the strength of every muscle and gives most accurate results. This department, now separated from the store, is in charge of Dr. E. P. Smith, who is an expert in optometry and a graduate of two optical colleges. His work here is meeting with general approval.

TURN OUT WELL.

Members of New Albany Council, Knights of Columbus, turned out well last Sunday morning and made an imposing showing when they received the new skiotometer which weighs the strength of every muscle and gives most accurate results. This department, now separated from the store, is in charge of Dr. E. P. Smith, who is an expert in optometry and a graduate of two optical colleges. His work here is meeting with general approval.

CLUB HOME.

Among the undertakings of the near future expected to engage the attention of the Daughters of Old Louisville is the erection of a club home for Catholic women. It is said the tentative plans include a building to be purchased or erected in a suitable locality, admission to be only to members of the club, thus taking out of the so-called "Home for Girls" class. It is stated the Visitation Home is inadequate for the demands made upon it, eighty girls being now on the waiting list. The new building will be large enough to take care not only of this waiting list, but also of others who are seeking a home. Business women will be given first consideration.

BISHOP HEELAN.

All arrangements were completed this week for the canonization of Right Rev. Edmund Heelan, D. D., as Auxiliary Bishop of Sioux City on Tuesday in the Cathedral of the Epiphany, Sioux City. A Papal dispensation was received allowing the consecration to take place on a date which is not included in the feast regularly fixed for ceremonies of that kind. The consecrator will be Most Rev. James J. Keane, D. D., Archbishop of Dubuque. The co-consecrators will be Right Rev. James Davis, of Davenport, and Right Rev. P. A. McGovern, Bishop of Cheyenne. The sermon will be preached by Right Rev. Daniel M. Gorman, D. D., Bishop of Boise.

ANNIVERSARIES.

Tomorrow will be the second anniversary of the United States declaration and entrance into the war against Germany. Next Wednesday will be the fifty-fourth anniversary of Lee's surrender to Gen. Grant and the ending of our own civil war. And April 19 will be Patriots' day, the anniversary of the battle of Lexington, fought in 1775, when this country threw off the shackles of England.

LENTEN DRAMA.

The first performance of "Pilate's Daughter" will be given by the members of the Holy Rosary Altar Society at the academy auditorium, Fourth and Park avenue, next Friday evening. This is the first of four performances of this Lenten drama, the other dates being Sunday, April 13, and Monday, April 15. A matinee will be given on Sunday, April 11, at 2 o'clock. Admission thirty-five cents.

CARNIVAL OF NATIONS.

Arrangements are under way for the carnival of nations to be held at St. Cecilia's school hall on Monday and Tuesday, April 28 and 29. Sunday dinner and supper will be served on the twenty-seventh, and supper will be served on the twenty-eighth. Among the articles to be disposed of during the entertainment are included a dining room suite composed of buffet, table and chairs, a kitchen cabinet and electric refrigerator. Both the articles are working hard and indications are that the carnival will be the largest event in recent years.

INDIAN SENTINEL.

The April Indian Sentinel, an illustrated magazine published in the interest of the Society for the Preservation of the Faith Among Indian Children, is a really interesting number. This issue is devoted to the "Sioux Number" and is devoted to one of the most numerous and remarkable of the Indian tribes, the Dakotas. It also carries much other reading matter that should interest Catholics. The Indian Sentinel has been doing a grand work, and may be secured from the Bureau of Indian Missions, Washington, D. C.

SECRETARIES NEEDED.

The Knights of Columbus need immediately 500 men for overseas secretarial work. These men should be energetic, vigorous and between the ages of twenty-five and forty-five. They should be able to write and understand the intricacies of the climate abroad, and be able to perform hard work. With more than a million of our fighters abroad awaiting demobilization and having more leisure time at the command of the men, it is a suitably entertaining them has loomed big, but the Knights, with a staff of a thousand overseas Secretaries, most of them particularly fitted to entertain or find entertainment for the soldiers, have thus far been able to meet the demands made upon them in this direction. To entertain these million men is a huge task, but the Knights are going at it with energy and will accomplish results. William F. Larkin, Overseas Director, 461 Fourth avenue, New York, has begun the task of recruiting these additional 500 Secretaries, and hopes to quickly receive applications from desirable men.

PRICELESS DOCUMENT.

The Library of Congress has put on exhibition a document signed by Ferdinand and Isabella six years before the discovery of America. It is framed with some old portrait prints of Columbus. Near it is the Columbus codex—a copy of his commission as Admiral and Viceroy. This is a beautiful specimen of Spanish handwriting of the style used in the year 1502.

FOCH'S FAITH.

It is hoped that Marshal Foch will shortly visit Ireland, to which country he tends grateful thanks for her spiritual aid in the last anxious months. The Protestant Bishop of London has been the first to pay tribute to Foch's Catholicism, for he said it was the Generalissimo's faith that had saved the situation—faith in the nation, faith in allies and above all faith in the Lord.

The corsage bouquet has been revived.

KEYSTONE POLICE OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED

The Article Below Reprinted From Movie Picture World Magazine, New York.

FORCE MAKES FARCE FOR LOUISVILLE.

Bluecoats called "Keystoners." Live Up to Title by Staging Traffic Hold-Up with Drawn Pistols.

The Louisville police force has been the victim of the thousands of moving picture fans who have become well used to the antics of the policemen in the Keystone comedies. During the past year or so good policemen have been scarce. Some youngsters returning from a moving picture show got into an argument with a policeman one night a few weeks ago, and some clever repartee was fired back and forth. Finally the youngsters designated the policeman as a "Keystoner," and he retaliated by arresting them on a "D. and D." (drunk and disorderly) charge.

After the case came out in the court the city as a whole started calling its protectors "Keystoners." Several arrests were made, and the Mayor appealed to the public and the newspapers to aid him in preserving order and the authority of his "cops." However, the newspapers, three of which are against the present administration, have continued kidding the police force in editorials, cartoons, etc., and things have reached a stage where all police information given the press is censored by an employed newspaper man, who wears a police badge.

The police force has been a joke, and according to some of the editorials on the subject the local force has pulled a class of comedy never perfected by the Keystone people. It is alleged that some of the things pulled by the local force would prove the greatest scream ever placed on a comedy screen. One of the best stunts was when two officers got "loaded" at a bakers' meeting and held up traffic at First and Broadway with drawn guns until a riot call was sent in.

Today a fine or a sore head faces the person who carelessly calls the city guardians by the famous title of the comedy cops. Keystone comedies probably have never received better advertising in any city than they have in Louisville during the past few months as a result of this outbreak.

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Sergeant-at-Arms—Martin Sheehan.

Sentinel—Thomas Noone.

DIVISION 4.

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Vice President—Mark J. Ryan.

Recording Secretary—Lawrence D. Meany.

Financial Secretary—Thomas J. Langan, 2114 Hale avenue.

Treasurer—John F. Burke.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Patrick Connelly.

Sentinel—M. J. McDermott.

LENTEN SERVICE.

Every pastoral letter at the opening of the holy season of Lent urged upon Catholics the practice of going to mass and receiving holy communion each day that would be possible. Our Bishops realize that the only hope of the world today lies behind the little door of the Tabernacle. The Presence that dwells in our church, that is there to be our comfort and our food, is the one thing that brightens a cold and dreary world. The one faithful, steady light in our life is the flickering red sanctuary lamp that tells of the Heart that is waiting to listen and comfort. The world would long since have been destroyed by the anger of an offended God save that Jesus is daily immolated on the altar of his love. The sins of the world cry aloud for vengeance, but louder still is the cry for mercy that goes up to God from the Spotless Victim. In these days of awful spiritual havoc we must go to our Eucharistic Lord for aid and strength. If we would only taste and see how sweet the Lord is! Our Heavenly Father is being ignored and his rights as a child of God, when his sins merited eternal loss, the Second Person of the Adorable Trinity became the saving victim that offered Himself in atonement. Today the same offering is made upon our altars. In the sacrifice of the mass the Lord of Hosts is adored and praised and thanked and appeased. During the season of Lent we may well try to learn to appreciate, as far as it is given to finite minds, this wonderful mystery of God's love and join with our priests in the great central act of Christian worship, the holy sacrifice of the mass. We need the faith and fervor of the early Christian martyrs, those men and women who died for love of Christ. They loved Christ and were loyal to Him because they knew Him. They learned to know his sweetness in holy communion. The Eucharist is the Bread of Life, the bread which comes down from heaven and in the words of our Lord, "He that eateth my flesh and drinketh my blood hath life everlasting." The world needs spiritual awakening; we all need strength to fight for God and the right. We will find the strength in the food that the Lord has prepared for us. If we are in earnest in the service of Christ we should strengthen ourselves for that service by making this heavenly food our daily bread. The Eucharist is the hope of the world. Only the Sacred Heart of Jesus can bring men back to the knowledge and service of God. The Sacred Heart lives and burns with love and yearning for our daily bread. We can find no better practice in the holy season of Lent than daily mass and daily holy communion.

CHAPLAIN PREACHED.

Sunday evening St. Philip Nerl's church, Floyd and Woodbine, was taxed by the congregation assembled to hear the Lenten sermon preached by the Rev. Thomas A. Murray, army chaplain at Camp

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Dave Reilly, who was on the sick list, is now able to be around.

Division 3 met last evening and heard flustering reports of the ball team's prospects.

Our Ladies' Auxiliary is rounding out a very successful year. In some respects they lead our two men's divisions.

Former County Secretary Dan O'Keefe has returned from France and will be at the next meeting of Division 4.

Manager Walter Murphy predicts that the Hibernian ball team will romp away with the Twin City League pennant.

County President John Hennessy requests members to make return immediately for the St. Patrick's day celebration.

Tom Langan, the expert of finances, is now living on a patriotic street—Hale avenue, rechristened in honor of the army General.

San Francisco has arrangements well under way for the greatest reception ever given a national convention of the Ancient Order.

It is safe to say that those who have the good fortune to attend the national convention next July will have a time never to be forgotten.

Many are suggesting that the County Board have its annual reunion and celebration early this year and thus avoid the extremely warm weather.

Returning members who have been over with the American Expeditionary Forces are everywhere attending and making interesting division meetings by the story of their experiences.

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DEATH A SHOCK.

Thomas J. O'Connell, aged sixty-four, an asphalt contractor and former foreman under the Board of Public Works, met with sudden and unexpected death Saturday morning from heart disease. He was stricken while walking from his home, 318 Still avenue, to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. E. D. Munsch, only a short distance away, and died within a few minutes after being carried into the drug store at Frankfort and Still avenue. Deceased was a respected resident of Clifton nad member of St. Frances of Rome church, where the funeral services were held Monday morning. Rev. Father Riley celebrating the requiem high mass. Surviving him are five sons, two daughters, one brother and two sisters.

POPE'S AID ASKED.

From Copenhagen the Associated Press has cabled that the Cologne Volks Zeitung reproduces an autograph reply of Pope Benedict to a request of Cardinal von Hartman, Archbishop of Cologne, that the pontiff intervene to secure the release of German prisoners of war. The Pope, in his reply, is quoted as saying he consulted with an "exalted personage." The Berlin Lokal Anzeiger, referring to the correspondence, assumes that the "exalted personage" is President Wilson, and says the Pope believes this personage "entirely shares our wishes and is inclined to support them." There is little doubt that much of the foregoing is purely conjecture, not having any confirmation.

LETTER FROM PARIS ISLAND.

Kentucky Irish American.

Paris, Island, S. C., March 25, 1919—Dear Friends: It has been some little time now since I've read a copy of our Kentucky Irish American, but do not think it will be so very long now before I'll be back on the job in my dear old Kentucky home. I will say that I am having a pretty good time in spite of all that Uncle Sam has been doing to keep us busy, and when I say busy I mean busy, for us Marines have been kept on the jump. I have been in hopes of getting back to Kentucky in time for the opening of the Twin City League. We have been having some very interesting ball games here on Sundays. The hardest work that we have had for a while was the rifle range. That wouldn't have been so hard if there had been room for us at the main camp, but since the main camp was full up it was up to us to stay where we were, and that meant getting up at 4 o'clock, breakfasting and then hiking seven miles to the range, and after a hard day's work hiking it back again to camp. We worked three weeks before shooting for record. Nearly all of our company came out pretty well. I was made a sharpshooter. I am glad to say I mustn't forget to tell you about our beautiful mass in the open. It took place on the K. of C. porch, the building not having been completed. We all knelt on the ground and nearly all the boys went to holy communion, and I want to say it was the grandest sight I ever witnessed. It makes me feel proud to be one of the gang. Every bit of us as many as half of the boys on the island are Catholics, I think. We sure do appreciate the Knights of Columbus here and I don't know what we would do without them. Hoping to be with you all soon again and asking to be remembered to each and everyone of my friends in Old Kentucky and with all good wishes, I am yours very sincerely,

HENRY B. SCHENE,
Co. 455, Bat. D.

HOLD AND BUY MORE.

The Most Rev. Archbishop John J. Glennon, of St. Louis, made an appeal in his noon-day Lenten address at St. John church for the man and woman of moderate means to hold on to their Liberty bonds and to buy more of them.

"To those of you who have Liberty bonds," he said, "I say hold to them; they are the safest investment you can make. They save and buy more Liberty bonds. The security is absolute and the interest fair and just. Don't let the promoter persuade you to sell your Liberty bonds to invest in some scheme of doubtful merit even if it does promise larger interest."

Ninety-nine per cent. of the schemes offered by the man who offers flowing oil wells and rich mines as an investment, the Archbishop said, are total losses. Archbishop Glennon has been one of the strong supporters of all Government calls during the war, his influence and decided stand going far toward helping St. Louis make its record in Liberty bond subscriptions. Liberty bonds and Government securities of various kinds have been pushed systematically in all Catholic churches of the archdiocese of St. Louis, several churches having the record of having put a Liberty bond in each family of the parish. Aside from the question of patriotism and loyalty to the Government and need for the final settlement of war debts, the Archbishop sees in the purchase of Victory Liberty loans a good, sound business proposition, which adds to the character and financial standing of the people.

FRIENDS REJOICE.

The friends of the Very Rev. Father Westermann, pastor of St. Mary's church, Eighth and Cedar, are rejoiced over his return to his congregation, after an illness of several weeks at St. Joseph's Infirmary. Though not yet fully recovered, it is hoped he will soon be able to resume his pastoral duties. During his illness priests from St. Anthony's church have been ministering to the spiritual wants of the congregation.

MOVING AND STORAGE.

During the spring season, when most of the moving is done, it is well to know where to go to find a reliable firm for moving your household goods, furniture packing or shipping. A. Arnold & Sons, recently moved to large and splendid new quarters at 425 West Main street, are experts in this business and all help employed by them is the best and most reliable to be had. They attend to all local or long distance moving with motor vans, and estimates are cheerfully furnished free of cost.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Iowa has fifty-two councils.

From all indications the initiation at Little Rock on April 27 will be a grand affair.

California Council of San Francisco exemplified the two major degrees last Sunday for a class of about 100.

Last Sunday there was a big initiation at Council Bluffs, and another large class will receive the degrees in the near future.

Last Sunday morning Archbishop Hanna addressed the members of California when they received holy communion in a body at St. Agnes church.

Indiana councils are lining up strong for the million membership campaign. Indianapolis Council has a large class for tomorrow, and soon after Easter Fort Wayne will advance to over 1,500.

Union Council of Syracuse plans the erection of a \$300,000 building on its property on the corner of James and North State streets that will be the Catholic center for that city.

With 3,600 members in the service, Iowa Knights made a record. This was about one-fifth of the entire membership in that State. Many of them now sleep beneath the sod of Pearly and Flanders.

Bluegrass Council at Lexington conferred the third degree on a class of seventy last Sunday. The Knights there are planning a membership campaign that will bring their number over the 1,000 mark before next January.

The initiation at Bardston, postponed because of the influenza epidemic, will take place tomorrow. The degree work will be exemplified by a team from Ludlow and the class will be the largest ever initiated into Bardston Council.

BACK TO STAY.

Col. Matt J. Winn, Vice President and General Manager of the Kentucky Jockey Club, returned from Cincinnati, where he has been straightening out matters at the Latonia track. Since leaving here several weeks ago Col. Winn has been in New York, where he considered his resignation as Manager of the Empire City, Laurel and Juarez tracks. At the insistence of the stockholders of those plants he agreed to remain on the three directorates. However, he informed them that he would be able to ride but slight attention to those courses. "My heart is in the sport in Kentucky," he told them.

PUBLIC SPIRITED FIRM.

With the advent of spring the pest of bugs and roaches becomes almost unbearable in many homes, but now that the Louisville Chemical Company has the best remedy for these evils, housekeepers need not fear the coming of warm weather. This remedy has been on the market for more than fifteen years and is conceded to be absolutely infallible and unrivaled.

Not a little of the success of this business is due the ability and personal popularity of President Ben Gregory, who is widely known throughout the city and State and regarded as one of the most public spirited citizens we have. Mr. Gregory has done his part in promoting the industries of city and State, and takes a personal pride in his zeal for the public good.

JEFFERSONVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Doherty, of Jeffersonville, received a letter Tuesday from their son, Private Raymond Doherty, who still is in a hospital overseas suffering from a wounded knee. He sustained this at the battle of Argonne Forest, October 10. By stages he was transferred from point to point until he finally arrived at Brest. The letter, which was written March 17, says he does not know when he will be permitted to sail for the United States. His injury is such that it is feared he will be crippled for life.

NEW ALBANY.

R. J. Butler, of Hoboken, N. J., and F. Emhoff, of New York, were guests this week of Misses Kate and Mayne Russell, 1118 East Oak street, New Albany. Mr. Butler is the father of the Rev. Justin Butler, formerly of Mt. St. Francis College, who died in New York just as he was on the eve of sailing overseas as a Knights of Columbus chaplain.

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